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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, MARCH 17, 1887.

A large number of immigrants have already arrived.

There will be no Hudson Bay expedition this year.

Archbishop Tache is seriously ill in Montreal, and his recovery is not probable.

Souds and Shoal Lake, Manitoba, provincial election petitions have been dismissed.

The corporation of Dublin has refused to send a congratulatory address to the queen.

The negotiations for a reunion of the liberal party in England appear to have fallen through.

The Nova Scotia legislature is in session. The speech from the throne contained a bare allusion to repeal.

C. P. Brown has resigned from his position in the Manitoba cabinet. No new appointment has been made.

Owing to the breaking down of a bridge on the Boston & Providence railroad, 30 persons have been killed and 100 injured.

Owing to snow slides having destroyed a couple of bridges on the C. P. R. line in the mountains the road is not open to the coast.

Upwards of 200 arrests have been made in St. Petersburg in consequence of an attempt upon the Czar's life on Monday last by dynamite bombs.

Rev. H. W. Beecher's remains were interred on Saturday. The funeral decorations were of a festive character in accordance with Beecher's wishes.

Dressman having been acquitted of the charge of having murdered constable Cowan at Pitt, has been sent to Manitoba penitentiary to serve a term on a former charge.

The Quebec legislature opened yesterday. In the speech from the throne it is proposed that a convention be called to consider the relations of the provinces to confederation.

Algoma election is still in doubt, and is claimed by both parties. Halimand has been given to the conservatives by a majority of one. A new election has been ordered in East Bruce in consequence of the disqualification of Carsill, the successful conservative candidate.

An order in council has been passed fixing a tariff of fees in criminal matters in the North-West. The crown prosecutor in cases not tried in a summary manner will be allowed \$20. Sheriff's fees moderate. Coroners will receive \$1 for empannelling juries. Justices of the peace sitting with judges in criminal cases tried before a jury will receive \$5. Interpreters will be paid \$2 daily.

WINNIPEG, March 18, 1887.

Macdowell's majority so far 106. Saskatoon gives Laird a majority of 11.

Perley's majority in Eastern Assiniboia so far as heard from is 597.

Davin's majority in Western Assiniboia is now placed at 315 with one place to hear from which will not affect the result.

BATTLEFORD, March 18, 1887.

Weather boisterous but not cold.

Business quiet, but preparations are everywhere being made for an unusually heavy freighting business from Swift Current.

The election returns so far give Macdowell a majority of 117, and it is generally conceded that he is elected. Battleford gave him a majority of 39.

VICTORIA, March 18, 1887.

Fur trade dull.

Weather for week mild. Snowing to-day.

Ad McPherson's electioneering party arrived from Lac la Biche last night and left for Edmonton this morning.

Mr. Tupper of this place has been awarded the contract for the delivery of telegraph poles along the line from Battleford to Clark's crossing.

Election day was very quiet. All the voters in this division, with the exception of two who were confined to their homes by illness, appeared at the polling station.

NORTH-WEST GAZETTE, February 12th, 1887: To be justice of the peace, Jas. McDougall, Esq., of Peace river, Athabasca. To be issuer of marriage licenses, R. W. McLellan, Esq., of Red Deer, Alberta. N. F. Davin, Daniel Mowat, A. L. Luman and Jas. H. Benson, apply for incorporation by letters patent as the "Leader Company (limited)," for the purpose of printing newspapers, pamphlets, etc.; chief place of business Regina, capital stock, \$20,000, in four thousand shares of \$5 each.

The Great Eastern was sold at Liverpool recently for £20,000. She has proved a profitable bargain to her late owner, who paid only £16,000 for her, and he is declared to have cleared upwards of £10,000 by exhibiting her at various places.

LOCAL.

MESSRS R. Hardisty and Thos. Taylor left for Lake Ste. Anne yesterday.

Mr. DAVIS and party expect to leave for the south to-morrow or Monday.

COURT of revision on Tuesday instead of Monday next, as announced in last week's paper.

REV. J. H. HOWARD left for Calgary on Wednesday to return in April with Mrs. Howard.

STAGE arrived on time Monday evening. No passengers. Left Thursday morning. No passengers.

No service in the Methodist church to-morrow or on following Sundays until further announcement.

THERE is some talk of entering a protest against the return of Mr. Davis on the grounds of corrupt practices.

A SMALL mail arrived by last stage. Trains were delayed east of Calgary for several days by storms, and to the west by snow slides.

ST. PATRICK'S day, Thursday, was observed by a general wearing of green ribbons by the citizens—without regard to creed or nationality.

V. ANDERSON left on Friday for Calgary taking out 85 bushels of seed oats to Red Deer. The remainder of 100 bushels is to follow shortly.

A TELEGRAM to Mr. Davis received this morning from Calgary gives him a vote of 845 in the 16 southern polling divisions against 174 for Mr. Hardisty.

THAWING on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, but the weather turned cooler when the election returns from distant points began to come in, and Thursday night was quite chilly.

A cow belonging to K. Macdonald fell into the river on Wednesday, where some parties had been taking out ice below the mill. She was rescued by the mill hands without much injury. These ice holes should be fenced.

THE victorious Davis party gave a street parade on Thursday afternoon. A four horse team and several double teams decorated with flags and brooms drove along Main street on the gallop, and out into the country to put in a big time for a few hours in honor of their victory.

DR. LAFFERTY held a political meeting at St. Albert on Saturday night of last week. Through the medium of a Cree interpreter he attacked the policy of the government which led to the late rebellion and went for his opponents, especially Mr. Hardisty, without gloves. As he had called the meeting himself he did not wish to allow partisans of the other candidates to speak, but after considerable wrangling Mr. Carney addressed the meeting on behalf of Mr. Davis, and Mr. Costigan on the same behalf in French, and W. G. Hibbitson on behalf of Mr. Hardisty.

THE third annual reunion of the Presbyterian Sunday Schools of Edmonton and vicinity was held in the Presbyterian church here on Friday evening. There was a large attendance, the room being quite crowded. An illuminated "Welcome" arch ornamented with evergreens was the striking feature of the decorations for the occasion. Tea which was provided by the ladies of the Edmonton congregation was served to the children and their friends from 6 o'clock to 7:30. At 8 o'clock the meeting was called to order by Rev. Mr. Baird, who made a statement in regard to the three Presbyterian Sunday schools at Edmonton, Belmont and the Sturgeon. The Sturgeon Sunday school did not take part in this entertainment because of its distance from town and because like the public school there, it is only carried on during the summer. The programme included a hymn, and recitations by the children, songs by Messrs. Stiff, Blake, Beecher and Michael, and a reading by Mr. Martin. Most of the songs were encored, but several of the singers asked to be excused from singing a second time. Prizes in books were given to Sunday school scholars, and after a distribution of candy and a short intermission the room was darkened for a series of magic lantern views which brought forth a furor of applause from the children.

THE minister of agriculture has annulled the patent for the Blake telephone transmitter. The Bell Telephone Co. is respondent in this matter, as well as in the matter of three Edison patents, the annulment of which the minister has in consideration. Should all be annulled the Bell compelled will lose about four million dollars.

L. A. SEVECAL has been called to the senate for Mills Lake, Quebec.

POLICE COURT.

On Thursday, 17th inst., before A. H. Griesbach, J.P., William Connors charged with selling intoxicating liquor, pleaded guilty, and was fined \$150 and costs.

The case of D. E. Noyes, charged with selling intoxicating liquor, adjourned from the 10th inst., was dismissed.

NORTH-WEST ELECTIONS.

ALBERTA.

	Hardisty.	Davis.	Lafferty.
Edmonton	114	11	3
South Side	55	7	1
Belmont	45	7	1
Clover bar	31	2	0
St. Albert	130	21	2
Ft. Saskatchewan	46	10	0
Victoria	22	1	0
Sturgeon River	22	1	1
Stoney Plain	21	3	0
Lac Ste. Anne	17	9	0
Beaver Lake	8	0	0
Saddle Lake	6	0	0
Whitefish Lake	3	0	0
Lac la Biche	30	26	0
Battle Settlement	33	35	0
Battle River Agency	11	14	0
Calgary	95	152	130
Cochrane	6	3	12
Morley	12	3	2
Banff	7	38	0
Gleichen	12	24	0
Pine Creek	7	18	36
Sheep Creek	4	33	0
High River	13	34	9
Lethbridge	11	187	6
MacLeod	2	201	1
Pincher Creek	10	97	0
Stand Off	2	14	2
St. Mary's	0	5	0
North Fork	0	3	0
New Oxy	1	14	2
Total	776	976	208

Davis' majority 200.

To hear from:

Athabasca, 15 votes.

Wolf Creek, 35.

Red Deer, 60.

SASKATCHEWAN.

	McDowall.	Laird.
Prince Albert.	93	17
North Battleford	72	50
South Battleford	71	54
Saskatoon, majority		11

Latest—Macdowell 117 majority over Laird with several places to hear from.

WESTERN ASSINIBOIA.

	Davin.	Ross.
Medicine Hat	76	46
Dunmore	12	3
Maple Creek	50	30
Moosejaw	59	109
Pense	15	6
Regina	233	71
Riddell's	15	6
Touchwood	10	0

Latest—Davin 315 majority over Ross, with one place to hear from.

EASTERN ASSINIBOIA.

	Perley	Dickie
Grenfell majority	46	
Qu'Appelle	88	75
Indian Head	59	19
Woleseley	81	29
Whitewood	96	40
Wapella	78	28
Moosomin	238	121
Broadview	62	26
Benbecula	62	29
Fort Qu'Appelle	114	51

Latest—Perley 597 majority over Dickie, as far as heard from.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BALL AND SUPPER at the Halfway House, Fort Saskatchewan Trail, on Monday, March 24th. Ball to commence at 8 o'clock. JOSEPH CHABOT, Proprietor.

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J. J. Campbell	Moose Mountain.
A. McDonald	Crooked Lakes.
W. S. Grant	Assiniboine Reserve.
I. J. Williams	File Hills.
J. B. Nash	Moscowpetong's Reserve.
H. Keith	Touchwood Hills.
J. M. Roe	Prince Albert.
J. A. MacKay	Battleford.
G. G. Mann	Union Lake.
J. A. Mitchell	Victoria.
W. Anderson	Edmonton.
S. B. Lucas	Peace Hills.
W. Pocklington	Blood Reserve.
M. Begg	Blackfoot Crossing.
W. C. deBalinhard	Sarcee Reserve.

Forms of tender, giving full particulars relative to the quality, quantity and points of delivery of the flour required, may be had on application to any of the above named agents, from the department of Indian affairs, Ottawa, or from the Indian commissioner for Manitoba and the North-West Territories, Regina; and no tender will be entertained which is not made out on one of those forms.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque, approved by the Indian Agent for the District, for at least five per cent. of the amount thereof, which will be forfeited if the tenderer declines to enter into a contract based on his tender when called upon to do so, or if he fails to fulfill his contract to the satisfaction of the Department. If the tenderer prefers to do so, he may deposit with the Agent, in lieu of an accepted cheque, the notes of any Chartered Bank in Canada to an equal amount. Cheques or cash accompanying tenders not accepted will be returned, but a cheque deposited by a successful tenderer will be retained until the satisfactory completion of his contract. Each tenderer is required to show in his tender the full value of all the flour which he is prepared to deliver under contract, or his tender will not be entertained.

Each tender must, in addition to the signature of the tenderer, be signed by two sureties acceptable to the Department, for the proper performance of the contract.

Tenders will be entertained for a portion or for the whole quantity of flour required at any given point.

Tenderers residing near one Agency but desiring to tender for delivery within another Agency further distant, may deposit their tenders and samples for the more distant, at the nearest of the Agencies specified above, or with the Indian Commissioner at Regina.

Samples of flour will be returned, if desired, to unsuccessful tenderers on their application, and the sample submitted by a successful tenderer may be counted by him as a delivery on account of his contract.

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L. VANKOUGHNET, Deputy of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs. Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, 20th February, 1887.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, MAR. 19, 1887.

AFTER THE BATTLE.

The result of the electoral contest in Alberta has been a disappointment to the large majority in this part of the district. Personally popular and independent in politics, Mr. Hardisty received a hearty support where he is best known, which he richly deserved, of which he may well be proud, and which is his best apology for having entered the contest, as well as for any sins of omission or commission with which he may be charged since doing so—a support that was given freely, without promise or threat, simply because the people believed that, of the three candidates, he was the one upon whose wish and ability to serve their interests they could most depend. When it is remembered that this support was given irrespective of party lines, irrespective of old time prejudice and in the face of weeks of exertion by both his opponents, it must be apparent that Mr. Hardisty's popularity is of the kind that keeps its color and wears well.

The victory of Mr. Davis is of course a victory for the government which thus makes a clean sweep in the North-West, and the effect is not likely to be in the nature of relaxing the policy at present pursued. No doubt Mr. Davis will be willing to advise as to what would be right, but the vote, not the advice, is what counts. As long as Mr. Davis' vote is pledged to the government he may give what advice where he pleases, and no questions asked and no attention paid.

Regarding the parties who were so rabidly opposed to the present administration that they could not support the man who alone was able to defeat its candidate in this contest, there is not much to be said. Dr. Lafferty is, no doubt, a very estimable citizen and an able politician, but the tendency of his candidature was—as far as can be seen now—to elect the man whose vote was pledged to support the administration which the Dr. denounced. Whether the object was to defeat the government supporter or to strengthen and unite the liberal party the result has been anything but a success. As the matter now appears to the general public out of over 200 votes in the district the liberal party could only command 103—no great encouragement for unity or confidence. To have invited the contest which had this result is not a sign of good generalship.

Next to the popularity which each candidate was shown to possess nearest home, the most pleasing feature of the contest was the independence with which the votes were cast, showing that if bribery or intimidation were attempted they were not very successful. Where there are many men there must be many minds, else there would be no need of election contests. And from the extreme north to the extreme south of the district, the voter gave his name freely for the candidate of his choice whether there was one or a hundred against him.

In conclusion, Mr. Davis is now the member for the district, and while he is not under any great obligations to this part of the country for electing him, he will no doubt remember his pledges to work equally for the interests of all sections, north as well as south. Putting the matter on the lowest ground the people here have done as well towards securing attention to their requirements by giving the government candidate an almost solid opposition, as they would have done by giving their own candidate a half hearted support. Gratitude has been defined as a lively sense of favors expected. Although the government has no cause to show gratitude for the past, its gratitude for the future may find active expression—will certainly do so to a greater extent than as if by giving Mr. Davis an unreasoning support we had incurred the contempt of the administration which he has pledged himself to uphold.

To the electors of the Edmonton District.

I take the opportunity, through the columns of the Bulletin, of thanking the gentlemen who gave me their support at the late election, and to express my pleasure at having met so many of the electors, and for the uniform courtesy and kindness extended to me by every person while prosecuting my canvass.

J. D. LAFFERTY.

Editor BULLETIN,

I would like to correct the statement appearing in your last issue regarding the school meeting held at Fort Saskatchewan, March 7th, that complaints had been made to the inspector, with reference to the finances of the school district. The object, as I understood, of the meeting, by the inspector, was to re-organize the school, which had been closed by the trustees for the balance of the winter term.

P. HEIMINCK.

CORRUPT PRACTICES.

No candidate shall at any election, nor shall any other person, either provide or furnish drink or other refreshment at the expense of such candidate to any elector during such election or pay for, procure, or engage to pay for any such drink or other refreshment. The sale or gift of spirituous liquors or strong drink at any tavern, shop, etc., on polling day is prohibited. Penalty \$100 for every offence, or imprisonment not exceeding six months.

The use of any sort of intimidation, in order to induce or compel a person to vote or refrain from voting, or on account of a vote given or not given, or in any way impeding, preventing, or otherwise interfering with the free exercise of the franchise by any voter, is undue influence, a misdemeanor, and any person guilty shall also forfeit \$200 and costs.

The following persons shall be guilty of bribery:

1. Every person who, in any manner gives, lends, or agrees to give or lend, or offers or promises any money or valuable consideration, or promises to procure the same to or for any voter, or any one on his behalf, in order to induce him to vote, or refrain from voting, or corruptly gives, lends, etc., (as above) on account of such voter having voted or refrained from voting.

2. Same as (1), inserted in place of "money or valuable consideration" the words "offer place or employment."

3. Every one who acts as set forth above, (1 and 2), to induce any person to procure, or endeavor to procure, the return of any person, to serve in the House of Commons, or the vote of any voter.

4. Every person who upon or in consequence of any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement or agreement, proposes or engages, or promises or endeavors to procure any such return or vote.

5. Every person who advances or pays in any way any money to, or to the use of, any other person intending same or part thereof to be expended in bribery or corrupt practices, or knowingly repays any such money, and any person so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall also be liable to forfeit the sum of \$200 and costs of suit.

But the personal expenses of the candidate and payments for other services, shall be held to be expenses lawfully incurred.

Any voter who before, during, or after an election, receives any of the above considerations, office, place, etc., in any manner for himself or any other person, to influence his vote or another's, shall be deemed guilty of bribery, and be subject to the same punishment.

Hiring, or promising to pay for horses, team or conveyance, or travelling expenses, or by a candidate, or by any person on his behalf, to convey voters to or from the poll, or neighborhood thereof on election day, are unlawful acts. Punishment, forfeit of \$150. Any voter hiring any horse, cab, cart, or other conveyance for a candidate or his agent, to convey voters as above shall by that act be disqualified from voting at such election and forfeit \$100.

Compelling, inducing or endeavoring to induce any person to personate any voter or take a false oath, is a misdemeanor, and liable to a forfeit of \$200.

All the above from bribery down, if wilfully done are corrupt practices, and one corrupt act may void an election. Any person other than a candidate found guilty of a corrupt practice may, during the eight years next after, be debarred the right to be elected to, and if sitting in the House of Commons, voting at any such election and holding office. Proof of perjury of witness removes such disqualification.

A CABLEGRAM to the Globe says that the statement is current in London, and made on good authority, that Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick will temporarily succeed Sir Charles Tupper as high commissioner till Sir John Macdonald is in a position to hand over the leadership of the party to Sir Charles.

PARLIAMENT will meet on April 13th.

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Edmonton, 23rd Feb. 1887.

ELECTION MEETING.

A political meeting was held in St. Jean's hall, Edmonton, on Monday evening last, in the interests of Mr. Hardisty. The room was well filled. Mr. McCauley took the chair.

Mr. Hardisty was called upon to speak, and after asking the indulgence of the meeting on account of his inexperience in public speaking read an address which defined his position clearly. He elected he would go as the representative of the people alone. His assertions in regard to his independent position had been questioned. He asked the meeting if in his long residence here he had given occasion to any one to doubt his word. He alluded to the various points of his published address, including half-breed claims, government contracts, extension of railways, rebellion claims, timber limits, legislative assembly for the territories, colonization companies, opening of odd sections, reduction of price of pre-emptions, reduction of duties on firewood and hay, appointment of local men to public offices, etc. Regarding the permit system, he believed that it was suited to the country when it was brought into force, but the time had come for a change. He elected he would assist in settling it in accordance with the wishes of the people. He did not wish to be considered as a local candidate. He was acquainted with all part of the district, had interests in many parts of it, and would work for the good of the whole.

Dr. Lafferty was called upon and did not desire to make a long address. Notwithstanding all that had been said on behalf of Mr. Hardisty's independence of the H. B. Co. he did not believe in it. He had been obliged to ask his superior officer in the service for permission to run. If elected when H. B. claims were being pressed he might again ask his advice. The honorable course for Mr. Hardisty to have pursued was to have resigned from the company before offering as a candidate. He did not believe in his independence of the conservative party. Conservatives bred and born, men now holding government positions, were supporting him, and they could not be doing so believing in his independence. He would like to know if Mr. Hardisty would support a motion of want of confidence in the government on the question of the C. P. R. monopoly. (The question being put directly, Mr. Hardisty answered "yes.") Attempts had been made to induce men not to vote for the speaker because he had no chance of being elected. He declared that he had an equal chance with the others or perhaps a better chance. He was working in his own interest and not in that of either of the other candidates, and was prepared to oppose the government on their present policy. The government was sustained by only a very narrow majority, and one member more or less might turn the scale.

Mr. Costigan was called upon to speak for Mr. Davis who had not yet arrived. He complimented Mr. Hardisty on the address which he had delivered, and charged Dr. Lafferty with misrepresenting the returns of the general election—giving the government count.

F. Oliver was called upon and said the campaign had had good results already. Each candidate had distinctly pledged himself to open the colonization and other reserved lands to settlement, to settle the lease question and to deal fairly by half-breed and rebellion claims. No matter which was elected these questions had been put in a fair way for a satisfactory settlement. The politically independent position taken by Mr. Hardisty was the best from which to urge this settlement. That he was independent was shown by the fact that both conservatives and liberals were supporting him, and a conservative and a liberal candidate were in the field against him, having entered it after he did. The argument that he would necessarily be controlled by the H. B. Co. was childish. His circumstances and inclinations were known to be such as to render him independent of control by any one. He had done his duty by the H. B. for many years and if he entered the more honorable service of the people, there was every reason to believe he would do his duty by them.

Dr. Wilson was called upon and spoke strongly in behalf of Mr. Hardisty. He favored the election of a man from our midst. If we wanted the north country opened up we could depend for assistance more upon Mr. Hardisty as an individual or as Mr. Hardisty of the H. B. Co. then upon either of the other candidates. He favored independence in politics in the North-West. He was a conservative, but the conservative government had not done justice to the North West, therefore he could not support the conservative candidate.

Mr. Davis was called upon. He was a conservative but thought from his expressions that Dr. Wilson was a grit. He denied the accusation of using unfair means to secure the election. He did not need to as he was sure of 400 majority. He would not pick any man's character to pieces. The campaign had been conducted so far without personalities. He did not stand for election as a local man. He would represent the interests of Edmonton as well as of MacLeod and Calgary. He had large interests in the two latter places now, and would have interests in Edmonton inside of two years. He reckoned

on a large majority, as the southern vote was solid for him, and it was much the largest.

Mr. Costigan spoke in reply to Dr. Wilson and made some strong charges in reference to changes of politics by the latter, to which he vigorously replied. Mr. Hardisty again addressed the meeting for a short time, and was followed by Dr. Lafferty. The chairman made a short address, alluding to the complimentary way in which the southern candidates spoke of the country, and thought the contest would do good by spreading information regarding our natural advantages. A vote of thanks to the chairman was then passed, and the meeting broke up.

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For registering a transfer, or a lease, or a mortgage encumbrance or charge or transfer thereof, or a discharge wholly or partially thereof, or a satisfaction of an annuity, or a surrender. \$2.00.

When any instrument purports to deal with or affects land included in more than one grant or certificate, for each memorial of the first. \$0.50.

For registering proprietor or any freehold estate on a transmission. \$2.00.

For each registration abstract. \$2.00.

For each caveat. \$2.00.

For withdrawal of caveat. \$1.00.

For entry of foreclosure. \$2.00.

For each search. \$0.50.

For each map deposited. \$1.00.

For registering recovery of possession by legal proceedings, or registering a lessor or surrender. \$2.00.

For vesting of lease in mortgagee on refusal of assignee to accept the same. \$2.00.

For entering notice of marriage or death. \$0.50.

For entering notice of writ of "fi. fa." or of any order, certificate or decree of court. \$1.00.

For entering satisfaction of any such writ. \$0.50.

For order dispensing with production of any duplicate grant, certificate or instrument. \$1.00.

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Parties concerned are hereby notified that from this date all grists brought to these mills must be taken away within three days after being ground, or storage will be charged.

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ELECTION DAY.

Election day was one of the finest of the season, mild and calm, giving every opportunity for polling a full vote of the free and independent. At every polling place in this vicinity every effort was made to get the votes in at the earliest hour. At 8:30 Edmonton time, 9 o'clock standard time, the polls were opened, and for about two hours the deputy returning officers, poll clerks and scrutineers were kept busy. Sleights and cutters of all descriptions hurried in all directions to bring up the tardy ones and everything was bustle and excitement, but all good natured. At Edmonton W. S. Robertson was deputy returning officer, C. F. Strang poll clerk, W. Stiff and T. B. Henderson scrutineers for Hardisty, J. R. Costigan and J. F. Smith for Davis and H. Goodridge for Lafferty. South Side, Thos. Anderson deputy, J. V. Kildahl poll clerk, J. Shields scrutineer for Hardisty, A. Carney for Davis and J. R. McPhaden for Lafferty. Belmont, J. Coleman deputy, J. B. Steele poll clerk, J. Kernohan scrutineer for Hardisty, J. Bannerman for Davis and J. A. Petrie for Lafferty. Clover Bar, J. S. Jollett deputy, C. Bremner poll clerk, W. Keith and J. T. Turner scrutineers for Hardisty and Geo. Gouin for Davis. Sturgeon, Geo. Sutherland deputy, H. Long poll clerk, Geo. Long scrutineer for Hardisty, A. Cameron for Davis and R. Kelly for Lafferty. Ft. Saskatchewan, P. Heimbeck deputy, G. Paine poll clerk, P. Curran and G. Steele scrutineers for Hardisty, W. Fielders for Davis and M. Inglis for Lafferty. Stony Plain, A. McNabb deputy, R. Brebner poll clerk, D. R. Fraser scrutineer for Hardisty and D. Macrae for Davis. St. Albert, Geo. Roy deputy, C. Delagorgendiere poll clerk, J. Gibbons scrutineer for Hardisty and D. Maloney for Davis. As soon as the votes began to roll in it became apparent that Hardisty had it all his own way here, and that Lafferty was not to be counted in the fight. There was less than the usual amount of challenging, or attempts to run in bad votes. At Ft. Saskatchewan six policemen voted Davis as "faggot" voters and four who are home-steaders in the neighborhood voted Hardisty. Extras giving the state of the poll were issued from the BULLETIN on receipt of every return including telegraphic returns in the Saskatchewan contest, but strange to say no telegraphic news was received from Southern Alberta until the close of the poll, and although many messages were sent there is reason to believe that none reached there. Whether as is usual, the service collapsed when it was most wanted, or the line was tampered with has not yet appeared, but there is every reason to believe that the latter supposition is correct. Whether the result of accident or design the interruption of communication during the day had a great effect against Mr. Hardisty's interests and in favor of those of Mr. Davis; and the continued delay of the southern news until Wednesday had a powerful effect in lightening the pockets of the betting men among the supporters of the former.

In the evening about 8 o'clock, when it became known that an almost solid vote had been polled for Mr. Hardisty in the Edmonton district and there was every probability of his being elected, a rush was made to the committee room on Main street, and a meeting was organized with Dr. Wilson as chairman.

Mr. Hardisty appeared and was received with great enthusiasm. The chairman addressed the meeting. He said the Edmonton people might feel proud that they had elected their man, for he was elected as far as this part of the district was concerned and he believed absolutely. But if the corrupt influences employed by the Davis party had secured them the majority, it could be depended upon that the election would be protested.

Mr. Hardisty gave a short address thanking the electors for the honor they had done him. He was proud of the confidence that the people who knew him best had shown in him.

G. A. Watson eulogized Mr. Hardisty as a citizen. He had won the election against odds. He accused Messrs. Lafferty and Davis of playing into each others hands, but notwithstanding this the Edmonton people had remained true to their candidate, and every vote claimed for him in the canvass had been polled but two. He advised all parties to use their victory creditably and above all things to keep sober.

Messrs. D. Ross, J. Peacock, W. Stiff, M. McCauley, Dr. Wilson, F. Provost, D. McCauley, J. Lamoureux, J. D. Macdonald and T. B. Henderson followed. Mr. Macdonald hoped that the police would now receive the recognition they deserved at the hands of the government. Mr. Henderson spoke in reply to charges made by H. Bleeker at Calgary.

The meeting broke up with cheers for Hardisty, cheers for the chairman and the burning of lime lights.

It is said that Sir John Macdonald is soon to resign the premiership and go to London as Dominion High Commissioner. If the Tories hold power it is expected that he will return to Ottawa as governor general.

THE Free Press bitterly attacks attacks Mr. H. H. Smith in connection with the purchase and distribution of seed grain in the North-West.

A PETITION asking that Dewdney be given another term as lieutenant-governor of the Territories, signed by several hundred settlers of East Moose Mountain has been received at Ottawa.

JOHN GRAHAM, proprietor of the Grand Union hotel, Ottawa, announces himself as a candidate for Carleton county, in the event of Sir John Macdonald electing to sit for Kingston.

THE government it is said has delayed the filling of the vacant judgeship in the North-West territories for party political reasons. Jerry Travis, of Calgary, who is here assures his friends that he will certainly be appointed. The government will, it is learned from another source, delay the appointment till the election in Alberta is over.

THE present government will not change in its attitude with reference to the fishery question. The old government took no extreme ground, but simply stood for the rights of Canada as guaranteed by the treaty of 1818. Its enforcement of that fishery protection last season was courteous, inclining even to leniency and strictly within the lines of established precedent. The government is not prepared to abandon its former ground, and steps will be taken, in case no arrangement is reached in the meantime to still more thoroughly and efficiently guard our coasts, and protect the interest of our fishermen during the coming season.

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McKAY—At Edmonton, on February 28th, the wife of D. S. McKay, of a daughter. HOLLAND—In the lower settlement on Tuesday, the 15th inst., the wife of J. Holland of a daughter.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Friday evening, March 11th, 1887. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max	Min.
Saturday,	23	36
Sunday,	0	0
Monday,	1	26
Tuesday,	11	27
Wednesday,	14	25
Thursday,	16	22
Friday,	19	27

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